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A TALE OF TWO COUNTIES

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REST.

Tuesday, Sept. 6.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCain have gone to Bloomington Ill. to visit relatives and old friends.

B. W. Colaw, we are glad to say, is getting better.

Mr. Yingling, dentist of Buffalo has been doing work for the people of Rest.

Mrs. Ora Offenbacher and Ida Cain attended the Quarterly meeting at Star last Sunday.

Geo. Stewart is cutting his broom-corn. Indeed George has a splendid crop this year. He is one of our neatest and best farmers.

Miss Lizzie Davis is doing good work at dress making. She is a splendid hand at the business and is very reasonable in her charges.

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spent Sunday picnicing at the Delaware Springs. If they didn't break the Sabbath they certainly cracked it.

There were about thirty persons boarded the train at Rest for the Iowa log-rolling. All came back an hour behind time, worn out, but they will try it again soon at Buffalo.

We want to be charitable to all mustached people so we apologise, by saying that the correspondent from Rest is a democrat and can't spell. We hope that misspelling the word will not stop the rise and fall of the mustache. Guess we will lay the mistake to the printer, in all kindness and fun to each party.

WARD.

Ward, Sept. 7.—School commences at Green Valley next Monday.

Miss Rosa Winters spent last week visiting at Mr. Clyde Tomlinson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dewey spent last Sunday at Mr. Jacob Leonards.

Mike Owens and Jacob Leonard are cutting corn for J. W. Starkey this week.

Mrs. Nellie Pauley, of Kansas City, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Crane.

James Ames and Harley Shephard attended the log rolling at Iowa last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Magill, of Miami county, are visiting their children in this vicinity.

Protracted meeting commenced at the Baptist church last Sunday and will continue this week.

The Misses Viola and Estel Wertz, Miss Ida McLaren, Messrs. Lloyd Wertz and Jay Stone were the guests of Miss Dora Ames last Sunday.

UNION VALLEY.

Tuesday, Sept. 6.—J. R. Tye sports a bike.

Mrs. M. A. Tye is on the sick list. A cool reception this morning, wasn't it?

J. H. Biggs, of Great Bend, is visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Minnie Herman is at home after a three week's stay in Chanute.

Fred Chapple and wife were calling on friends at Union Valley this evening.

James Ely and wife have returned from a trip to Osage-co. They like Neosho best.

Mrs. Walter Clark and children are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Clatfelter at present.

J. A. Biggs, milk hauler, enjoyed the notoriety of a runaway last Friday while returning from the creamery. The result was a badly delapidated umbrella and some split milk. Don't cry over spilt milk girls.

KIMBALL.

Tuesday, Sept. 6.—A nice little shower fell yesterday. We were all glad to see it.

Charles McKay is working on the section this week.

School commenced yesterday with forty eight pupils enrolled.

Amy Smith was on the sick list, but is better at present.

John Reishman had his sale Saturday, but things did not sell well.

Chaney Simmons' horse got his foot out last Saturday on a plough.

Miss Eva Romshert is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

Chester Smith worked on the hay baler last week for Barney Causner.

Celon Smith, of Moran, was visiting with Frank Rall a few days last week.

We will dismiss school Friday so those who wish may attend the fair.

Several of the people from here attended the log-rolling at Iowa last Thursday.

A. C. Williamson started to Erie Monday with his picture gallery expecting to take pictures at the fair.

Dennis Simmons and wife and Calvin Tredway took advantage of the excursion and started for Cincinnati Sunday.

If some of the boys in our vicinity don't quit their cutting up here of nights they are liable to get a touch of the law.

VALLEY.

Tuesday, Sept. 6.—Tillie Nation went to Emporia to school Monday.

The city hall is almost done at Shaw.

Mr. Philips is shipping his hay from Shaw.

R. W. Bebington has returned from his eastern trip.

Mr. Ekland and wife, of Vilas, were visiting at J. W. Toomey's Sunday.

R. W. Bebington and wife were visiting at Tom Copley's Sunday eve.

May and Edie Perry are not batching any more, their men have returned from the west.

Chas. Fanatia shipped his hogs to Kansas City last Friday night. A good many are losing hops from hog cholera in this vicinity.

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CHIT-CHAT.

Don't fail to hear Mr. Bailey at Williams' hall tonight. He will give you some reasons for the faith that is within the Republican breast.

Capt. J. W. Walker has at last boarded up the neighborhood. "What is it?" and, behold, it is a wood house and work shop.

Jessie Shinn says if Mark Hanna don't regulate this weather soon, the Republicans are gone up for this year.

Why does a petty city official frequently take delight in doing something unlawful to annoy and injure a citizen, instead of employing his energies for the public good?

Who would have thought it possible for the Blade last week to so utterly annihilate the Times' innocent little article of the week before on diamonds. All precious stones are not diamonds, but all diamonds are precious stones. The revenue on precious stones was greatly increased by Republican tariff. Diamonds form the bulk of importation of precious stones. Therefore, the revenue on diamonds was greatly increased by Republican law. See, John?

"Slim" Gilchrist manages to worry around and visit Chanute once a year. "Cub" Ruff has been gone several years, and Cig. Nixon has no object in coming back. McCaslin came to the conclusion that a packing house job was about his size. Hatcher went to railroad and displayed good sense. The foreman of the Times is the only one left to represent the old crowd. Good printers are not picked up every day, for the reason that the boys do not learn the trade like they did twelve and fifteen years ago.

It is said the first gun, as announced by the flaming flyers on the streets, Saturday, was only a pop gun after all, and like the pop gun of boyhood days was only loaded with wind and paper wads.

Hon. C. A. Cox, one of the best campaigners in this section of Kansas, will take the stump for the Republicans this fall.

So it will soon be Mrs. H. Prange, at home, at No. —, North High street, eh?

If the Times last week was a little tainted with populism attribute it to the free indulgence in a large box of magnificent tomatoes and big basket of fine grapes contributed by our good populist friends of Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier.

That was shabby treatment we got last week from Mrs. Dave Houston. She brought into the office a magnificent musk melon (our special delight,) and asked us to carry it up to our wife.

M. Ingles treated the Times force to a big watermelon the other day. It was hard to determine which enjoyed the melon best, Marion or the devil. We felt some what flattered by the melon, till we recalled the fact that, we had just had Marion out to dinner with us and supposed we had filled him up, till we saw him eat watermelon.

J. J. Jones looks very much rested lately. He attributes the cause of his improved appearance to the good sleep he gets these nights. He says since Miss Ellis came back she and his wife talk so much during the day that he has no trouble in getting to sleep nights.

We wonder why Kirk Barbee is building such a fine house over in the 4th ward? It would seem to be too a house to batch in.

The school board have rented the house owned by Emma Cave in the Gray addition, for a 5th ward school.

Miss Jessie Abbott will be principal.

How does this sound? "J. Houston Carr, Characterist, No. 2156 Don Fortuna Place, San Juan, Porto Rico, U. S. A. Cartoons furnished on short notice."

Mr. Massey, our genial clothier is worrying over the fact that he has to move soon.

When do you suppose our street commissioner will get around to cut a few of the weeds? Probably sometime after the seeds are well ripened.

Mayor R. C. Rawlings Sundayed at home. Wonder on which line of business he is now expending his surplus energies, the horse race or the boot and shoe trade.

Did Chanute ever have a log-rolling? We would like to see Chanute represented before 1900.

Excursion via Santa Fe.

September 6th, 8th, 9th, 12th, 15th and 16th, good for return 20th, one fare for round trip to Ottawa account of Camp Meeting of Seven Day Advent.

September 10th, 11th, 14th, 17th, 18th, 21st, and 24th good for return September 26th, one fare for round trip to Topeka, account annual Camp Meeting Spiritualists Association.

Oct. 2nd to 8th, inclusive, good for return Oct. 9th, one fare for the round trip to Kansas City, account Priests of Palace Parade.

September 16th to 24th, good for return Sept. 26th, one and one-third fare for the round trip to Kansas City Horse Show.

October 2nd to 7th, inclusive, good for return Oct. 10th, one fare for the round trip to St. Louis account St. Louis Fair.

Commencing Tuesday, September 13th and each Thursday and Tuesday thereafter up to October 29th, good for return five days from date of sale, to St. Louis, one and one-third fare for the round trip, account of St. Louis exposition.

September 24th to 30th, inclusive, good for return Oct. 3rd, one fare for the round trip to Topeka account of Fall Festivities and G. A. R. Reunion.

Oct. 8th to 12th, inclusive, good for return Oct. 17th, one fare for the round trip to Topeka account of Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. Meeting.

Sept. 19th to 24th, inclusive, good for return Sept. 26th, one fare for the round trip to Wichita account of State Fair.

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